Numerous instances of the red man's quickness of wit are related by those who have had dealings with him. A Canadian chief was looking idly on while some Englishmen were bard at work improving property newly acquied from the dusky tribe,

"Why don't you work?" asked the supervisor of the clifef. "Why you no work yourself?" was

"I work headwork," replied the white man, touching his forehead. "But come here and kill this calf for me, and I'B give you a quarter.

The Indian stood still for a moment. apparently deep in thought, and then | he went off to kill the calf. 'Why don't you finish your for?"

presently asked the supervisor, seeing the man stand with folded arms over the unskinned, undressed carcass.

"You say you give me quarter to ill calf," was the reply. "Calf dead. Me want quarter." The white man smiled and handed

the Indian an extra coin to go on with the work. "How is it," asked the Englishman one day after a series of such one sided dealings, "that you so often get the

"I work headwork," solemnly replied

the man of the woods. A white trader once succeeded in selling a large quantity of gunpowder to one of this tribe on the assurance that it was a new kind that the white man used for seed and if sown in especially prepared loam would yield an

amazing crop. Away went the Indian to sow his powder and in his hope of making money from his fellows was careful not to mention his enterprise. When at last, however, he realized how he had been duped he held his tongue for a year or more until the trickster had completely forgotten the occurrence. Then he went to his boaxer's store and bought goods on credit amounting to a little more than the price of the planted gunpowder. He had the requiation of a good payer, and his scheme worked easily. When settling day came, the creditor called promptly.

"Right," said the Indian slowly "right, but my powder not yet sprouted. Me pay you when me reap him."

#### CURED B : SARCASM.

### A Lesson In the tae of Simple Terms In Letter Writing.

A few months ago the son of a rail way director was through his father's influence given a position of some importance on a large railway. Lie was fresh from Camo. dge, and in the orders which he from time to time issued to the men under nim always made us of the longest, most unusual words This habit led to some rather expensive blunders, and, the matter con ing before the general manager, he wrote the young official the following letter:

"In promulgating your esoteric cogitations and in articulating your superficial sentimentalities and amicable philosophical or psychological observations beware of platitudinous ponderosity. Let your conversational communication possess a clarified conciseness, a compacted comprehensibleness, a coalescent consistency and a concatenated cogency. E-chew all conglomeration of flatulent garrulity, jejune babblement and asinine affectation. Let your extemporaneous descantings and unpremeditated expatiation have intelligibility and veracious vivacity, without rho domontade or thrasonical bombast. Sedulously avoid all polysyllabic profundity, ventriloquial verbosity and vaniloquent vapidity. Shun double entendre, prurient jocosity and pestiferous profaulty, obscurant or apparent. In other words, talk plainty, naturally, sensibly, purely and truthfully. Don't put on airs; say what you mean; mean what you say, and don't

The young official took the gentle hint and changed his style.-London

### Doing Europe.

Facilities for traveling nowadays are so accelerated that it is quite possible for the tourist to pass through five European countries in fourteen hours barring accidents-namely. England, France, Belglum, Germany and Holland. Take the express from Charing Cross to Dover and cross over to Ca lais-two countries. Then with the in tercontinental express you proceed to Brussels—three countries. From the Belgian capital by train to Aix-la-Chapelle, which is German territory, making the fourth country, and after allowing time for a meal a drive to Vaals, in Holland, makes the fifth country-and all in fourteen hours.

The Beverage of Paraguay.

Mate, the national beverage of Paraof the flex and does not intoxicate. Mate can be drunk hot or cold, it can be taken with cream and sugar, like tea or coffee, and it can be used "straight," which seems by far the best way of drinking it. Plain mate is quite bitter, and, like beer, it is an acquired taste. The first sip gives a disfinetly bitter taste, and the drinker sets down his glass with a wry face. Presently, as soon as the bitter effect wears off, the imblber has a pleasant recollection of the sensation. By this time the powerful stimulating property of the drink has begun to work and the drinker feels like taking another sip. Mate makes the user of it "feel good," makes him look with a brighter eye on the dark side of life, makes him forget his troubles for the moment, and, best of all, unlike beer, it makes him feel

Chemists who have carefully analyzed mate say that it is perfectly parmless. It has only the smallest percentage of caffeine and volatile oils and it never leaves a bad after effect. Even when the drinker has a disordered stomach or bad nerves the consump-tion of mate is not followed by unpleas-

### LAZY MAN'S PARADISE.

The Women Are the Hard Workers In the West Indies,

On market day in the West Indies sands of peasant women and girls an be seen walking along the roads to the town from their pulm thatched buts in the mountains and woods. They carry on their heads immense loads of annuas, oranges, yams, plantains, brown sugar or tobacco, stepping along at the rate of four miles an hour with the galt of a princess.

Constant carrying of heavy loads cives them a splendid carriage. They will walk forty miles to market to sell 20 cents' worth of produce. Often they could sell the same stuff for a better price at their homes, but they enjoy the merry company on the road and the fun and gossip of the market place too much to give up their weekly jaunt. Most people think such a tramp hard work, but they regard it as a picnic. Tramping along over rough mountain tracks, fording swift rivers, tugging fractious mules in the way that they should go, these women never let their loads fall. They could dance a jig without dropping them.

Meanwhile the men folk, who have not even taken the trouble to sow or harvest the crops, much less carry them to market, are sleeping in the palm thatched but or lying down in the yam patch outside and smoking the strong native tobacco.

"On my estate," said a coffee planter to an American friend, "I employ about 600 people in the busy seasons. The en outnumber the men by more than two to one and do far better work. though they are only paid 18 cents a day as compared with the men's 24 cents. The difference in wages is most unfair, but it is regulated by an iron bound custom."—Kansas City Star.

Jungle Housekeeping

The negro housewife in the West In-dian jungle finds housekeeping very Fruit and vegetables grow wild al' about the hut, and the river abounds

On wash day all she has to do is to pick a few of the berries of the soap berry tree, take her clothes to the river and use the berries as she would use ordinary soup. Even her cooking pots grow on the trees, the calabash cut in haives being used for this purpose. Calabashes are used also for bowls, basins and jugs for carrying water from the river, while the small ones make excellent cups.

In the afternoon, when she is ready for her cup of tea, the negress picks half a dozen leaves from the lime bush growing at her door, boils them, squeez es the juice from a sugar cane for sweetening, and the cocoanut supplies the milk. Thus she has a delicious cup of tea without depending on the grocer

She makes the mats for her floor out of the dried leaves of the banana, plaited and sewed together, as the old country people in this country make their

#### BRAHMAN PROVERBS.

He that committeth no evil hatb

Mix kindness with reproof and rea son with authority. Of much speaking cometh repentance

but in silence is safety. The first step toward being wise is to

know that thou art ignorant. Envy not the appearance of happiness in any man, for thou knowest not his secret griefs.

Indulge not thyself in the passion of anger. It is whetting a sword to wound thine own breast.

Consider and forget not thine own weakness, so shalt thou pardon the

fallings of others. The heart of the envious man is gall and bitterness. The success of his neighbor breaketh his rest.

This instant is thine. The next is in the womb of futurity, and thou knowest not what it may bring forth.

As a veil addeth to beauty, so are a man's virtues set off by the shade which his modesty casteth upon him. As the ostrich when pursued bidet his head, but forgetteth his body, so the fears of a coward expose him to danger.

Of the 400 barons in the British

house of lords about a dozen date back to 1400, the earliest being 1264. The oldest family in the British isles is the Mar family in Scotland, 1003, The Campbells of Argvll began in 1190 Talleyrand dates from 1199 and Bis marck from 1270. The Grosvenor fam fly, the Duke of Westminster, 1006. the Austrian house of Hapsburg goes back to 952 and the house of Bourbon to 864. The descendants of Moham med, born 570, are all registered care fully and authoritatively in a book kep in Mecca by a chief of the family. Lit tle or no doubt exists of the al authenticity of the long line of Mohammed's descendants. In China there are many old families; also among the Jews. But in point of pedigrees the mikado of Japan has a unique record. His place has been filled by members of his family for more than 2,500 years. The present mikado is the one hundred and twenty-second in the line The first one was contemporary with Nebuchadnezzar, 666 years before

### Training a Beagle.

With regard to the training of a different plan from the setter and to the greatest. For instance, while, work of training is to conquer natural propensities, whereas with the beagle you encourage him to go on and do sil he can in seeking and chasing when like working or doing something with his brain or his hands instead of loaning down with an older one, and a very few lessons suffice. It comes as nat-ural to a beagle to run scent as for a apparent inclination one lesson usually provokes it. The less one interferes with a bengle running a line the better for the dog, so long as he is not potter-

Quite Different.

Tess-flo she has fallen in love with an English nobleman.

Jess-You don't tell me?

Tess-Surely you've heard.

Jess-No. I merely heard she was engaged to marry one.—Philadelphia

Dividing Her Weight. "Don't stand on that delicate table to hang the picture, Martha. It'll break. You're too heavy."

"Oh, no, I'm not, mum. It'll bear me. I'm standing only on one foot."-Philadeiphia North American.

#### Domestic Troubles.

at is exceptional to find a family where there are no domestic ruptures occasionally, but these can be lessened by having Dr. King's New Life Pills around. Much trouble they save by their great work in stomach and liver troubles. They not only relieve you, but cue. 25c at Frank G. Bland's drug store.

\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* For something you can eat go to the Coffee and Chop House, Pike street, opposite Waldo. +++++++++++++++++++

### ODD NOTIONS OF WOMEN.

Rosa Bonheur treasured a small lead image of St. Anthony of Padua as a lucky charm.

Caroline Herschel firmly believed that if she met a crosseyed beggar in the morning it presaged the discovery of a new star that night.

George Ellot was a slave to the infin. nce of the hunchback and clubfooted man and did no literary work upon the day when she saw one. Lady Millais, the wife of the great

painter, was convinced that the crack of doom would sound for any one who stepped on a crack in the sidewalk. Harriet Beecher Stowe believed that it was bad luck to throw away a toothbrush which had outlived its useful

ness, and to the anguish of her house hold preserved every one that she had ever used. Queen Victoria cherished a number of uperstitions, and among them she believed that the removal of her wedding ring would surely bring calamity and that a pet Manx cat would bring good

#### A Very Close Call.

luck to the royal household.

"I stuck to my engine, although every joint ached and every nerve was racked with pain," writes C. W. eBllany, a locomotive fireman, of Burlington, Iowa 'I was weak and pale, without any appetite and all run down. As I was about to give up, I got a bottle of Electric Bitters, and after taking it, I felt as well as I ever did in my life." Weak sickly, run down people always gain new life, strength and vigor from their use. fry them, aStisfaction guaranted by Frank G. Bland, druggists. Price 50c.

### Geographical Taffy.

'What town is this?" asked the emiaent statesman, who was making a political tour of the provinces. "Ionia," they told him.

The eminent statesman stepped ou to the rear platform of the gorgeous private car in which he was traveling "My countrymen," he said impres sively to the cheering throng at th station, "your beautiful and thriving young city has a rare distinction. In dependently of its commerce and man ufactures, independently of its charm ing location, independently, I may add of the stalwart men and fair women who inhabit it, so many of whom I see before me, not forgetting these bright and winsome young children who are also here, the hope and mainstay of

these, your lovely city" Here he became truly eloquent. Hi-eyes flashed, his voice rang out in larion tones, and he shook his clinched fist at the zenith.

-"has the rare distinction of bearing a name that has only five letters and

yet has four syllables!" The applause as the train moved away was simply deafening.-Chicrgo

Just One Minute. One Minute Cough Oure gives relief n one minute, because it kills the mirobe which tickles the mucous mem brane, causing the cough, and at the same time clears the phlegm, draws out the inflammation and heals and soothes the affected parts. One Minute Cough Cure strengthens the lungs, wards off onia and is a harmless and never failing cure in all curable cases of coughs, colds and croup. One Minute Cough Cure is pleasant to take, harmless and good alike for young and old. For sale by Wells & Haymaker.

Thackerny as a Critic.

It cannot be contended that Thackeray was a great critic. Indeed, there is not doubt that, as a rule, be preferbengle, he has to be treated on quite a red second rate books of the first class pointer. In their cases a great deal of as a matter of course, he admitted that Milton was a great poet, be added that "he was such a bore that no one could read him." Whatever one may think of the discernment of a man who says that, it is impossible to doubt his hon-esty. He was often led away by the character of the author whose works be was criticising. He disapproved of Swift and Sterne and rather grudgingly admitted their qualities, but he gladly praised Pope, whom he loved because of his infirmity and because of the love the poet bore his mother. His judgments came from the heart

Do Not Urge Your Child. If your child cannot concentrate its mind or commit to memory without great difficulty, or if it seems backward, do not urge it to study. No de-velopment which is forced is natural or normal. The mind may be developing unevenly, says Success. When the brain cells are more fully developed with pleasure. Our jackdaw, or rather and the nerve cells more mature the faculties will balance, and the cibio will become normal, evenly developed. But be must be encouraged instead of being discourased, for otherwise the result may be disastrous. It is cruel to keep felling a child that he is dul! or stupld or that he is not like other children The discouraging pictures thus impressed upon his plastic mind will cling to it and become indelible in the brain of the man and bandicap him Don't Pat on Airs.

There is one class of girls who are

onfident of marrying and marrying well and who rarely succeed in their blect-the class that puts on airs. No folly is so certain to debar one from merriage as this, and, though it is a malady from which all classes suffer, the girl of the middle class generally has it in its worst form. Gentlewo men never put on airs, because good breeding and concelt do not go together. and the girl who is born in a humble sphere of life and works for her own living soon acquires too much common sense to be conceited. It is the girl who spes the lady that looks in vain for

Make the Most of Your Eyes. Nothing is more charming than the straightforward gaze which indicates that a woman is in complete posses sion of herself, confident of her own powers and strength and does not fee the need of looking bither and thither for a way of escape. Once learn the trick of a steady gaze and no matter how plain the girl may be there is something about her which every one will declare is charming and fascinating. Soft and melting eyes, dashing eyes, brilliant eyes, soulful eyes, are not in it with the eyes of direct gaze. particularly if they are shaded by lids which are rather large and heavy.

#### Saved from Terrible Death.

The family of Mrs. M. L. Bobbitt, of Bargerton, Tenn., saw her dying and were powerless to save her. The most skilled physicians and every remed; used, failed, while consumption we slowly but surely taking her life. It this terrible hour D. King's New Dis sovey for Consumption tuned despair nto joy. The first bottle borught immediate elief and its continued use com pletely cured her. It's the most certain cure in the world for all throat and lunc troubles. Guaranteed bottles 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at Frank G. Bland's drug store.

To Clip the Hair.

To clip the hair braid in several 100se braids, front and back separately; then begin at the tips of the braids, and, olding a braid with one hand, with the other hand rub up tip of braid to the bead until the short hairs stand out and the whole braid is rough; then take the scissors and clip off all the

To Clean an Invalid's Room.

The best way to clean an invalid's room is to rub the carpet with a cloth wrung out of ammonia, rinsing and turning the cloth as the dust and dirt collect upon it. Change the water fre-quently. This is far better than sweeping and raising an unpleasant dust.

Cured After Suffering 10 Years. B. F. Hare, Supt. Miami Cycle & Mfg Co., Middletown, O., spffered for ter years with dyspepsia. He spent hund reds of dollars for medicine and with doctors, without receiving any perman ent benefit. He says, "One night while the republic-independently, I say, of feeling exceptionally bad I was about to throw down the evening paper when I saw an item in the paper regarding the merits of Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. I concluded to try it and while I had no faith m it I felt better after the second dose After using two bottles I am stronger and better than I have been in years and I recommend Kodol Dyspepsia Cure to my friends and acquaintances suffer ing from stomach trouble." Sold by Wells and Haymaker.

### A Rustle Moralist.

An old farmer, an elder of the kirk and a strict Sabbatarian, was especially severe upon Jock for his shortcomings and that worthy, who had his doubt as to the elder's godliness, determined to get even with him upon the first opportunity. Jock was as skillful an an gler as he was a poacher, and upon one occasion, having captured an extra large basket of trout, he resolved to present a portion of the catch to the elder. The gift having been duly accepted, the wily Jock remarked casual-

"But, elder, I clean forgot to tell ye the fish were catched yesterday" (Sun-"Weel, John," returned the elder, gaz

ing steadily at the contents of the bas ket, "I dinna see that that was the faut 2' the troot." Jock took his departure, sadder and wiser.-London Tit-Bits.

### A Night Alarm.

Worse than an alarm of fire at night s the brassy cought of croup, which ounds like the children's death knell. and it means death unless something is done quickly. Foley's Honey and Tar never fails to give instant relief and quickly cures the wost forms of croup Mrs. P. L. Cordier, of Mannington, Ky. writes: "My three-year-old girl had a severe case of croup; the doctor said she could not live. I got a bottle of Foley's for the dog, so long as the state of the trail.

Field and Stream,

His judgments came from the heart quick relief, and it saved her life." For tunate when these coincided.—Lewis and by Stone & Mercer, C. D. Sturm & Co. and R. J. Crist. Co. and R. J. Criss.

A writer in an English publication declares that birds wag their tails when they are happy. "The gander," he says, "when he has to his satisfac tion driven off a dog from the presence of his spouse returns to her, craning his fillidaw, as it is a female, on our return a few days since after two months' abbush where she was perched, and on our going to greet her she received us with profuse tall wagging to show her pleasure at our return. She always greets her particular friends in the household by wagging her tail, crouching on her perch and cawing in an un-

Another observer finds that some birds blush. He writes: "We have a partments are in charge of experts, and very fine specimen of the blue and yel- its authority in all matters pertaining mucaw which displays this trait, not often, for he is remarkably good of the community it represents more tempered and the blush is an invariable sign of anger, so much so that we warn all friends that while his cheeks remain white all attacks are felgued, yet if the 'danger signal,' red, shows to look out and keep out of reach." The owner of a blue and orange macaw it yet gives all the news of all says that its white, parchment-like face lits moral tone is high, and church becomes bright pink, especially above the beak, whenever it is angry or ex-

The Painter and the Dealer.

Mr. Spielmann, the art critic, told the following story of Moriand, the painter, who was popular enough to have his work forged in his lifetime: "A dealer, unknown to him, employed Morland to paint so many pictures, provided him with a studio free in as upper floor of his (the dealer's) house and begged that he would not trouble to paint for longer than the morning. The terms were good, and the artist, who was more than ever in want of money, readily agreed. But what Morland did not know was that as soon as he had left, on and from the very first day the dealer introduced some six hack copyists into the room with similar canvases to reproduce exactly what the painter had done in the morning and in the evening all traces of the haursion were removed. Each day until the completion of the picture the process was continued, and thus at the end of the engagement the dealer no only possessed the original picture but six copies of each produ own. This, perhaps, accounts for son of the best copies examt."

You can't afford to miss the great sale f clothing, shoes and rubbers at Wil Sushmum's.

Shoes sold less than cost at Will Nus mum's. Jan.14.tf

Now is the time to get a hat at creat bargain. Everything at cost. Eliz beth Coffman. ill-dt

Don't forget to visit the great closin out sale at Will Nusbaum. Jan.14.tf

Selling everything at cost. Going or of business. Elizabeth Coffman. [1]

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A Newspaper Worth Reading.

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careful newspaper for particular people Its statements of fact and comthem are concise and correct. Its de to the events of the world at targe and particularly is recognized. It has no Sunday edition, and its position in that regard in Pittsburg is as unique as its thorough reliability in every way Staunchly Republican in political policy it yet gives all the news of all parties every creed find in its columns more news of their interests and work that in all its cotemporaries combined Sports are given the prominence they leserve and no more. The news con cerning them is bright, timely and ade

quate, for the work is done by a mas er. Theaters in The Times as in m other paper have the truth told about them and the plays they offer. No business considerations ever interfere with the publication of criticisms that really criticise in this department, too, the work is done by a master. Society and he affairs of women find careful and complete exposition on the page devoted o them. Industrial matters are accorded the prominence they merit in a Pitts burg paper, while the stock market is given the attention that has brought the Times into the front rank of finan sal authorities. Above all The Time is a model not only of brevity of state ment but of dignified simplicity in its typographical appearance. It offends neither the eye nor the sensibilities Those things that are of importance are reated accordingly. Those that are un mportant are bandled in keeping wit their value. Both issue of The Times is a day's history of events the wild world round. Its price i one cent daily or \$3.00 a year.

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For Rent-Nicely furnished room for entlemen; private family. Apply as 237, corner Third and Mechanic street

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